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CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371

U.S. APPLICATION NO. 10/576,299

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TITLE OF INVENTION

PROCESS FOR PRODUCING TRIARYLSULFONIUM SALT

DATE

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Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:

- 1. [] This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.
- [XX] This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.
- 3. [] This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.
- [] The US has been elected by the expiration of 19 months from the priority date (Article 31).
- 5. [] A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2))
 - a. [] is transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau).
 - b. [] has been communicated by the International Bureau.
 - c. [] is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).
- [] An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)).
 - (* pages and * sheets of drawings (Fig(s). *-*).
 - a. [] is attached hereto.
 - b. [] has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).
- 7. [] Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(C)(3))
 - a. [] are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).
 - have been communicated by the International Bureau. []
 - [have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.
 - [] have not been made and will not be made.
- [] An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).
- 9. [] An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)).
- 10. [] An English language translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).

Items 11 to 20 below concern document(s) or information included:

- 11. [] An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.
- 12. [] An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.
- 13. [] A FIRST preliminary amendment.
- 14. [XX] A SECOND or SUBSEQUENT preliminary amendment.
- 15. [] A substitute specification.
- 16. [] A change of power of attorney and/or address letter.
- 17. [] A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 35 U.S.C. 1.821 1.825.
- 18. [] A second copy of the published international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).
- 19. [] A second copy of the English language translation of the international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).
- 20. [] Other items or information:

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				CALCULATIONS	PTO USE ONLY
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22. [] Examination fee If international preliminary examination report prepared by UPSTO and all claims satisfy provisions of PCT Article 33(1)-(4) \$100.00 All other situations					
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TOTAL OF 21, 22 AND 23 =				\$ 0.00	
Surcharge of \$130.00 for furnishing the oath or declaration later than [] 20 [] 30 months from the earliest claimed priority date (37 CFR 1.492(e)).					
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CLAIMS	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA	RATE .		
Total claims	- 20		x \$ 50.00	\$ 0.00	
Indep. claims	- 3		x \$ 200.00	\$ 0.00	
Multiple dependent claim(s) (if applicable) + \$ 360.00				\$ 0.00	
TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS =				\$ 0.00	
Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. The fees indicated above are reduced by %.				\$ 0.00	
SUB TOTAL =				\$ 0.00	
Processing fee \$130.00 for furnishing the English translation later than [] 20 [] 30 months from the earliest claimed priority date (37 CFR 1.492(f)).				\$ 0.00	
TOTAL NATIONAL FEE =				\$ 0.00	
Fee for recording the enclosed assignment (37 CFR 1.21(h)). The assignment must be accompanied by an appropriate cover sheet (37 CFR 3.28, 3.31). \$40.00 per property +				\$ 0.00	
TOTAL FEES ENCLOSED =				\$ 0.00	
				Amount to be refunded:	\$
				charged	\$

- a. [] Payment in the amount of \$*.00 is authorized by credit card (PTO-2038).
- b. [] Check in the amount of \$*.00 to cover the above fees is enclosed.
- c. [] Please charge my Deposit Account No. 111833 in the amount of \$_____ to cover the above fees.
- d. [XX] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 111833.

NOTE: Where an appropriate time limit under 37 CFR 1.494 or 1.495 has not been met, a petition to review (37 CFR 1.137(a) or (b) must be filed and granted to restore the application to pending status.

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